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ROUTING			
1	CD	4	CLD
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3	OPS	6	
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ROUTINE			
			IN 69955

DIRECTOR

FROM: [] 25X1A

ATTN: OSA (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10)

INFO: S/C (11)

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TO: [] 25X1A INFO: [] 25X1A CITE: [] S136 25X1A

SUBJECT: PROCUREMENT OF ADDITIONAL [] 25X1A

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1. DOES [] HAVE ANY OBJECTIONS TO USING MG CASTING FOR NEW LENS. WEIGHT SAVING OF 2-1/2 LBS PLUS 7 TO 8 LBS SAVING ON LENS WOULD MEAN A SAVING OF 10 LBS TOTAL. THIS SAVING WILL INCREASE RELIABILITY OF OBLIQUE DRIVE UNIT.

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2. OUR QUOTED MIRRORS FROM [] WILL BE BASED ON THE NO-CHARGE USE OF THEIR FACILITIES UNDER AF33(600)28501. ONE

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MIRROR BLANK IS A [] AND IF USED, WOULD EFFECT A SAVING OF APPROXIMATELY [] PER THE FIRST UNIT. USE OF THIS BLANK MIGHT SHORTEN MIRROR DELIVERY OF 16 WEEKS BY 1 OR 2 WEEKS

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ACCORDING TO [].

3. WE RECOMMEND THAT 2 ADDITIONAL MIRRORS BE PROCURED FOR SPARES AT THE SAME TIME THAT THIS PROCUREMENT IS PLACED, SINCE RE-CUTTING OF MIRRORS IS NOW A CRITICAL LEAD TYPE ITEM IN IRAN TURN AROUND.

4. WE ALSO RECOMMEND THAT 2 ADDITIONAL MAIN BEARINGS BE PROCURED AT THE SAME TIME TO EFFECT A QUANTITY SAVING ON THIS

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GROUP 1
Excluded from automatic
downgrading and
declassification

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ITEM. IT SHOULD BE ADDED TO THE SPARES SUPPLY FOR IRAN.
PROCUREMENT OF THIS ITEM IN THIS MANNER WOULD BE A SAVINGS OF
APPROXIMATELY \$1,500 EACH. TOTAL PRICE FOR TWO BEARINGS IS
APPROXIMATELY \$9,800.

END OF MESSAGE

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